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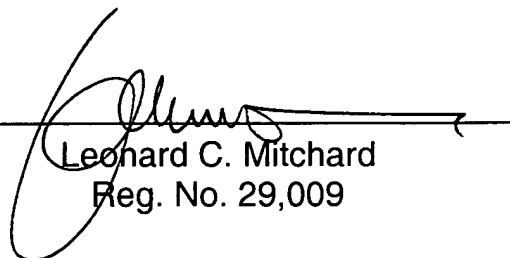
Responsive to the Notice mailed February 21, 2002 (for which petition is hereby made for a one month extension of time), Applicants submit herewith substitute drawings in the above-identified application.

Entry is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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